GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1003
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DELINK OF VADINAR AREA FROM KANDLA PORT
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Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

(a) whether Union Government have received the request from Gujarat State to delink Vadinar area (except SBM of I.O.C.) which was earlier part of Salaya Minor Port from the limits of Kandla Port and revert back to State Government ;

(b) if so, whether the Union Government have agreed to the request; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING (SHRI SHRIPAD Y. NAIK)

(a) to (c): Government of Gujarat , from time to time, has beenrequesting to revert Vadinar, which was earlier part of minor port of Salaya, by de-linking it from Kandla Port limit.Vadinar was included in the limit of Kandla Port after Government of Gujarat issued notification deleting it from the limit of minor port of Salaya, while the Government of India issued notification for its inclusion in the limit of Kandla major port. The request of Government of Gujarat has, therefore, not been acceded to by Government of India.